

**In the Claims**

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1. (currently amended) A hydraulic pump assembly comprising:

a hydraulic pump mounted in a pump housing;

an electric fan mounted on the pump housing and secured thereto by a bracket.

Claim 2. (currently amended) The hydraulic pump assembly as set forth in Claim 1, wherein the fan is mounted on the top of the hydraulic pump.

Claim 3. (canceled)

Claim 4. (currently amended) The hydraulic pump assembly as set forth in ~~Claim 3~~ Claim 1, further comprising an upper shroud which envelops the fan and directs air from a cooler region to the fan.

Claim 5. (currently amended) The hydraulic pump assembly as set forth in ~~Claim 3~~ Claim 1, further comprising a lower shroud which directs air along the hydraulic pump.

Claim 6. (canceled)

Claim 7. (currently amended) The hydraulic pump assembly as set forth in ~~claim 6~~ Claim 1, wherein the ~~assembly~~ electric fan is secured to the ~~hydraulic~~ pump housing by fasteners threaded into the pump housing.

Claim 8. (currently amended) The hydraulic pump assembly as set forth in Claim 1, wherein the assembly further comprises a controller that senses the temperature of the hydraulic pump and actuates the fan such that the speed of the fan increases as the temperature of the hydraulic pump increases.

Claim 9. (canceled)

Claim 10 (new) A hydraulic pump assembly comprising:

a hydraulic pump mounted in a pump housing;

an electric fan mounted on the pump housing and secured thereto by a bracket and fasteners threaded into the pump housing;

an upper shroud that envelops the fan and directs air from a cooler region to the electric fan;

a lower shroud that directs air along the hydraulic pump; and

a controller that senses the temperature of the hydraulic pump and actuates the fan such that the speed of the fan increases as the temperature of the hydraulic pump increases.

Claim 11. (new) A hydraulic pump assembly, comprising:

a pump housing having a first end, a second end and at least one side positioned between the first end and the second end;

a hydraulic pump mounted in the pump housing;

an input shaft drivingly engaged to the hydraulic pump and extending from the pump housing at the pump housing first end; and

an electric fan attached to the pump housing, wherein the electric fan is rotatable with respect to the input shaft.

Claim 12. (new) The hydraulic pump assembly as set forth in Claim 11, wherein the electric fan is attached to the second end of the pump housing.

Claim 13. (new) The hydraulic pump assembly as set forth in Claim 11, wherein the electric fan is attached to the at least one side of the pump housing.

Claim 14. (new) The hydraulic pump assembly as set forth in Claim 11, further comprising a temperature sensor mounted on the pump housing, wherein the sensor cooperates with a controller to modify the speed at which the electric fan rotates.

Claim 15. (new) The hydraulic pump assembly as set forth in Claim 11, further comprising at least one bracket extending between and attached to the fan and the pump housing.

Claim 16. (new) The hydraulic pump assembly as set forth in Claim 11, further comprising an upper shroud that envelops the fan and directs air from a cooler region to the electric fan.

Claim 17. (new) The hydraulic pump assembly as set forth in Claim 16, further comprising a lower shroud that directs air along the hydraulic pump.